

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 22-cv-20707-JEM/BECERRA

*In re:* Application Pursuant to  
28 U.S.C. § 1782 of

FARHAD AZIMA

*Petitioner,*

v.

INSIGHT ANALYSIS AND RESEARCH, LLC,  
SDC-GADOT, LLC, and  
AMIT FORLIT,

*Respondents.*

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**MOTION SEEKING LEAVE OF THE COURT TO PERMIT PETITIONER TO  
APPEAR VIRTUALLY AT STATUS HEARING**

Petitioner Farhad Azima's counsel hereby seeks leave of the Court to appear via Zoom or telephonic means at the Status Hearing set for February 13, 2024, at 10:30 am. In support of this motion, the Petitioner states as follows:

1. On February 6, 2024, the Court set a status hearing regarding the above-referenced matter.
2. Due to scheduling conflicts, Petitioner's counsel are unable to appear in-person for the February 13, 2024 hearing, but are available to join remotely. Specifically, Ms. Johannes has interviews for a time-sensitive internal investigation on that date in Vero Beach, Florida. Ms. Johannes cannot reschedule these interviews. Messrs. Herbert and Behre have conflicting other in-person client meetings in New York City that day.

Petitioner reached out to opposing counsel on 2/10/2024 but has not heard back as of 7:45

pm EST on 02/11/2024. Given that this hearing is scheduled for 2/13/2024, this motion is being filed without a conferral. Notably, Petitioner does not see how Respondents would be harmed by the relief requested herein.

WHEREFORE undersigned counsel respectfully requests this motion to be GRANTED.

Dated: February 9, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on February 11, 2024, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was filed via CM/ECF and served on counsel for the Respondents named in this matter, Christopher S. Salivar and Elan I. Baret, via such means.

s/ *Vanessa Singh Johannes*

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